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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PFOR. NI

SUBJECT: GOWON VISIT

REF: (A) STATE 186305, (B) LAGOS 7645

- 1. AS STATE 186187 WAS RECEIVED AFTER OFFICE HOURS AND CONSIDERING URGENCY OF SUBJECT, I MADE CONTACT WITH MEA IMMEDIATELY, WITHOUT TAKING TIME TO RETURN TO OFFICE AND PREPARE NOTE VERBALE. TOOK PARTICULAR CARE, HOWEVER, TO MAKE SUBSTANCE PARA 1 STATE 186187 EXPLICITLY CLEAR TO OLISEMEKA, REHEARSING ALL POINTS WITH HIM AGAIN AT END OF OUR CONVERSATION. HE REPEATED THEM ACCURATELY AND WAS IN NO DOUBT ON THE MATTER.
- 2. THIS MORNING OLISEMEKA CALLED ME TO REPORT HE HAD PASSED SUBSTANCE OF MESSAGE TO COMMISSIONER ARIKPO AND HOPED TO HAVE RESPONSE TODAY OR TOMORROW. MEANWHILE, HE REQUESTED THAT WE PROVIDE COPY OF MESSAGE IN WRITING, SO WE HAVE DRAFTED NOTE VERBALE FOR DELIVERY THIS MORNING.
- 3. WITH REGARD TO SECOND SENTENCE STATE 186711, I HAVE AT NO TIME MENTIONED CONTENTS PARA 2, STATE 186187, WHICH WAS FYI. CROSBY

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